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FM AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD
TO COMIDEASTFOR IMMEDIATE
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 2336
NOSIC SUTLAND MD PRIORITY
AMCONSUL KARACHI PRIORITY

S E C R E T ISLAMABAD 1242

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: MPOL, PK, US
SUBJ: NAVAL CONTROL OF SHIPPING EXERCISE

REF: STATE 140080, COMIDEASTFOR 161450Z JUN 77

1. EXERCISE COMES AT AN ESPECIALLY DIFFICULT TIME FOR
CONGEN KARACHI. AS ADDRESSEES AWARE, KARACHI HAS BEEN
THE SCENE OF CONSIDERABLE POLITICAL TURMOIL RECENTLY
WHICH AFFECTED THE PORT AREA. CONSEQUENTLY, THE AMOUNT
OF SHIPPING WAITING TO ENTER PORT IS MORE THAN USUAL,
AND NORMALLY IT IS CONSIDERABLE.

2. THE CONGEN IS IN THE MIDST OF THE SUMMER TRANSFER
SEASON AND IS NOT FULLY STAFFED. ALSO, THE EXTREMELY
SHORT NOTICE FOR THIS EXERCISE - THE IMPLEMENTING CABLE
WAS RECEIVED FRIDAY, JUNE 17 WITH EXERCISE SCHEDULED
TO BEGIN ON SUNDAY - COMBINED WITH UNFAMILIARITY OF CONGEN
STAFF WITH THIS KIND OF REPORTING REQUIREMENT, ADDS
ADDITIONAL BURDEN TO CONGEN. FOR THESE REASONS,
EMBASSY RECOMMENDS WITH CONGEN AGREEMENT, THAT KARACHI

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BE EXEMPTED FROM THIS EXERCISE.
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